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She Didn't Buy It. The following story will show the high price that illustrators of reputation command for their work. A young woman who had received treatment from Dr. S. Weir Mitchell of Philadelphia was very fond of him, and at a recent celebration of his birthday, at a fitting and appropriate gift would be the presentation of one of the original drawings of Mr. Howard Pyle for "Hugh Wynne." Forthwith she invaded the Century company's station and, with her fingers tenderly grasping a new \$10 note, asked to buy the drawing. She was informed that these pictures were never sold unless exceptions were made in cases where the artist himself or the author wished to make the purchase. "Just so," said the young woman. "I wish to present it to Dr. Mitchell." "Ah, in that case," said the gentleman at the desk, "we shall take pleasure in giving it to you at the exact price we paid for it, which is \$100."

Clear and to the Point. The following is taken from a hotel advertisement in the California Times: "Gentlemen who come in hotel not say anything about their meals they will be charged for, and if they should say beforehand that they are going out to breakfast or dinner, etc., and if they say that they do not have anything to eat they will be charged, and if not so they will not be charged, or unless they bring it to the notice of the manager of the place, and should they want to say anything they must order the manager for one, not any one else, and unless they bring it to the notice of the manager they will be charged for the less things according to the hotel rate, and no fuss will be allowed afterward about it."

A Poultry Problem. A Somerville man borrowed a neighbor's hen on the pretense that he wanted her to sit. As soon as he got the hen he broke up the sitting habit and got her to laying eggs. In the next six weeks she laid two dozen eggs. These he sold for 40 cents a dozen, and with the 80 cents that he got for them he bought the hen. Now the question arises, whether the original owner of the hen was fooled or not—Somerville Journal.

A Misleading Item. Johnny—Old Mr. Skindint must be an awful generous man. His Father—Why? Johnny—The paper says he constantly keeps a good watch on everybody in his employ—Jewellers Weekly.

Japan is a corruption of the Chinese word Shih-pai-kue, which means "root of dirt," or "smirch-kingdom," because Japan is directly east of China.

No Woman May Reign. The question has been asked why none of the daughters of the czar may be a successor to the throne on which the great Catherine proved her capacity. The exclusion rests only on an edict of the Emperor Paul, the son of Catherine the Great, issued to discredit his mother's memory.

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DAILY MARKET REPORTS. COTTON. New York Feb 1. OPEN. CLOSE. February 7.70 7.87. March 7.71 7.83. April 7.68 7.82. May 7.69 7.80. June 7.69 7.80. July 7.71 7.85. August 7.87 7.98. September 7.80 7.92. October 7.78 7.92. November 7.67 7.79. December 7.67 7.79. Spot cotton closed steady 15c middling uplands 5 1/2; middling gulf 5 1/2.

GRAIN AND PROVISIONS. CHICAGO Feb 1. OPEN. CLOSE. WHEAT—February 82 1/2 82 1/2. WHEAT—May 82 1/2 82 1/2. CORN—February 22 1/2 22 1/2. CORN—May 22 1/2 22 1/2. OATS—February 21 1/2 21 1/2. OATS—May 21 1/2 21 1/2. PORK—February 10 7/8 10 7/8. PORK—May 10 7/8 10 7/8. LARD—February 5 9/16 5 9/16. LARD—May 5 9/16 5 9/16. RICE—February 5 7/8 5 7/8. RICE—May 5 7/8 5 7/8. WHEAT—July 82 1/2 82 1/2.

NAVAL STORES. WILMINGTON, Feb 1. Spirits turpentine firm at \$1.25; receipts 13 casks. Rosin firm at \$1.25; receipts 15 casks. Crude turpentine firm at \$1.75; receipts 4 barrels. Tar firm at \$1.30; receipts 10.

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A Cork Safe. "The most curious safe I ever saw," said a traveling man, "was a cork one, and it was made by an ingenious Dutch mechanic for a one-time famous confidence man named Dr. Baggis, who operated in Denver, Salt Lake City and Frisco. The safe was a folding affair, made of paper on a backing of sheet cork, and when it was opened up, was six feet high and looked exactly like the real thing. As it was always placed in a corner, it had only two sides, but every visible detail was complete—combination knob, hinges, lettering, bolt heads and all. When folded, it could be carried in an ordinary dress suit case. Baggis used the thing in a fake lottery office which was of itself a marvel of trick furnishing.

Red Tape Illustrated. A correspondent passing hurriedly into the room of the committee on rivers and harbors pulled the knob off the door. "How can I get that fixed, do you think?" asked the congressman. "Shall I get the carpenter or the locksmith?" "The locksmith, I suppose." "No, sir. Were I to send for the locksmith he would tell me to consult the architect of the capitol. He has no authority to fix doorknobs. Doorknobs are permanent fixtures and are solely within the jurisdiction of the architect of the capitol."

His Grievance. It is no wonder the humorist feels bitterly toward the cooking schools when these have not eliminated the woman who thinks sponge cake is made of sponges.—Detroit Journal.

Will Power. "As a lawyer Quibb's success is due largely to his great power of will." "Yes, I understand he has broken more wills than any other man at the bar."—Philadelphia North American.

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LEONITA AN EARLY ISSUE

BY WILLIS D. HAWKINS.

As Gitano walked through the lowland grove to meet Leonita at the creek he wondered why she had grown so different; why she no longer would play the games that for years they had played together; why she now went round by the bridge and would not let him assist her across the stream. When he reached the open, he saw her standing by the road at the top of the hill. A horseman who had spoken with her rode away, smiling over his shoulder. Something tightened in Gitano's breast. With firm steps he came to the hilltop. "Who was he, Nita?" she asked. "Who but that corregidor?" she answered. "What said he?" "More than ever another hath said, Gitano."

Leonita turned her face away. "He said that mine is the beauty of the new world, while time to devote to him, as she was writing feverishly on a new tale. In the meantime the magazine to which she had sold her first story came out. The story was not in it, as she had hoped it would be, but she had herself written it surely be in the next number. On the strength of this hope she succumbed to temptation and bought an extravagant hat, a French importation, vastly becoming, it is said.

"Silly child!" her father said. "Thou wilt be the corregidor, a great lady, and ride in thy coach. Is this thy gratitude for a father's loving care?" Gitano came at sundown to learn why Leonita had not kept their daily tryst. Her father sat with them and told Gitano all that the corregidor had said upon her beauty and begged her for his bride; that the father's promise had been given; that the father was to come next morning to seal the treaty, and that until then Leonita was to remain within.

"Check to check, they whispered from their beds in the morning of their lips were sealed pathetic vows of love he yond this life. Then through the sonnet avenue of silence they came again to view the gloomy present. "And speak he only of the beauty of thy face?" Gitano asked. "Only of that," she answered. "I would thou hadst no beauty, then."

"Before they parted at the lattice Leonita begged one last moment of her father. A lush young vine grew in the withered gum tree at the bottom of the gorge. "Bring me a sprig of that, Gitano, for remembrance." And when she took it from him she bade him haste to bathe his hands in milk. Then Gitano knew the cruel nature of the vine.

"No, no! Not that," he cried. But the lattice entered the father looked on Leonita's face and horror paled his own. "Nita," he gasped, "is it thee—my child?" "Aye, my father, thy child." He swayed and closed his eyes. "Say not that," he moaned. "I cannot be. My Nita was so beautiful—so beautiful!"

"An overwhelming grief he sank upon the floor and rocked and feebly beat his breast. "O santo Dios! What cause is this?" Then came the other awful thought. "The corregidor will never take her now!" he cried. "Why, my father? Both he love me for my face alone?" But the father only wailed as one gone mad.

"The corregidor!" the corregidor! He will not have her now." Then came the rider with the notary. "She was so much a child," the father sobbed. "She played with young Gitano in the grove. She did not know the will she would do her father. And yet it hath but spoiled her face and not touched her beautiful heart."

"Rustion," said the great corregidor, "thou hast my earnest sympathy. Here is a purse of gold." "Nay, sweet Gitano; even thou canst not say that." "Hush, my Nita! This is the beauty of the day. Thy heart love is the glad, warm sunshine and thy glorious soul the rainbow promise unto me."—Chicago Times-Herald.

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WHY NEGROES TO DEATH.

WYOMING, Jan. 31.—W. W. Beard, an officer of the law, is now evading a warrant in the hands of the sheriff, who is making a diligent search for the fugitive.

Saturday night an overcoat was missed from the hotel, and Sunday morning these unknown negroes, who had come in the previous day, were arrested on suspicion. As no evidence could be obtained against them, the marshal and several men took them off in the woods to make them confess.

The marshal had one until he was tired and then made him beat the other two. As the negroes still denied the theft, the beating was kept up nearly all day, until late in the evening one of the negroes died, and a few hours later another one died.

A coroner's jury was summoned and after investigation returned a verdict that the deceased "came to their death at the hands of W. W. Beard, the marshal, and others, and that the same was wilful murder."

Medical Society, Attention. There will be a regular meeting of the Pensacola Medical Society at the Board of Health office at 7 o'clock p. m. Tuesday, Feb. 13 and 27. Visiting physicians are cordially invited to attend.

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